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LAIRD SIKKY—A CLEVER STORY.

Laird Sikky, about forty years ago was a simpleminded inhabitant of the village of Hell-Amendie, in some remote district of Scotland. A most unfortunate weather with the difficulties of life was the land; a mere day laborer in his calling, but one to whom fate had bestowed the gift of all things to content, that before he was possessed of the middle life, he had realized enough of money to purchase a field lying in his neighborhood, for which purpose he had obtained an injunction, which, in Scotland, is deemed to be necessary of land, however small its extent. Sikky was a lucky man, always thought in the business of life. He had a cottage, with various accommodations for an old horse, a cow, a pig, and some poultry. To surprising, when the money could be made he was ready to earn his bread. He even swept chimneys; reasoning, however, for this duty Saturday, for the product reason, that it was the last day of the working week. While other day-workers, for others, he was sure to have earned his hours out of every four-and-twenty, to devote to delving and dabbling in his own garden, or to mending his son house and piggery, or driving out dung to his own land. Sometimes he would be seen bounding the thistle of his house, invested in a woman's petticoat, to protect his clothes, albeit she would have though them little worthy of such care. At another time, you would see him delving beneath a load of some country stuff of which he was going to make a merchandise. Long before any learned agricultural society pointed out the thing, Sikky had found it to be his advantage to lay a set of old doors over his dung heap, to screen them from evaporation, and had added to drain a pole, which he kept carefully covered with a block. He had a wife in delicate health with many small bairns, and was rather hard to them all, his own true will loving his so supposed to be the wishes of others. Poor Sikky wished much to be allowed the luxury of ale, but had to take it standing at a cottage door, when she was ready to dust his jacket if he should come in. Sikky, however, occasionally, in his presence, to take it as a medicine is a cup sprinkled with meal. At dinner, he ate with the bairns, but was sure to have, in taking care, the distribution of its contents, that the hunger of the bread-winner of the family should be satisfied, some of others what ought. He was a much mean under all his hard work, until the establishment of a Friendly Society in the village; after which, he generally had an illness or accident in the first week of sickness, especially if the usual labors of each man as he were interrupted by snow. Sikky doubt then meant an old plaid and a polychromatic night-cap, and taking to his bed, he felt he should become entitled to an allowance of five shillings a week from "the box." There was a scandalous story of the impostor on visitor of the Friendly having found him one day during his illness carrying on the weeding of his thatch; but Sikky justly alleged in his second, that, as the visitor expressed, he was sick, and could not rise and again, he cried: "Weel I'm far free wi' ye. Dye ye see, I'm a man working at the back of the house here, and I was just sayin' to the wife that I wanted to do. It must also be remembered, in Sikky's favor, that, amidst all his worldly poverty, he was a man who never forgot that he was mortal. In his walk and conversation he was rather noted for seriousness, as well as a constant readiness to justify to the infirmity of poor neighbors. Indeed, "to hear him expounding points by the fireside in the gloaming," said a Gaelic lady, "he was nearly as pr'ety' as the ministhur himself."

In the younger days of Laird Sikky, there was a thing little thought of in the north. Men used to go out of their houses, and spend a forenoon in the turnip fields seeking for partridges, or in the moors looking for grouse, and bring day's bag home at dinner time. Sometimes gentlemen as yet thought of driving a revolver from the wild animals on his estate. He was likewise of going to live a month at a time in a shooting lodge, or receiving his son home

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THE FEELING OF THE COUNTRY.

We published the other day a brief report of some of the anti-Nebraska meetings which have been held in various portions of the country.—These meetings continue to multiply and increase, and were we to attempt to chronicle even a notice of all of them, our columns would scarcely nothing else. We have made mention from time to time of the proceedings of the most important meetings which have been held in our own State and Wisconsin. From every portion of the land, however, renewed and continued indications come up, of the public sentiment of the country in relation to the agitation commenced by Mr. Douglas. We can hardly see our endeavors to "fix more of the same sort" of evidence, which we have before given.

The Wisconsin *Free Democrat* gives the following list of administration papers (that were) which oppose the repeal of the compromise:

The Wisconsin, Gazette Times, Sheboygan Democrat, Beloit Journal, Janesville Gazette, Racine Democrat, Waukesha Democrat, Watertown Republican, Jeffersonian, Potosi Republican, Janesville Standard, Monroe Sentinel, and Platteville Reporter, twelve regular Democratic papers, published in English, besides four or five German Democratic papers, have unequivocally condemned the Nebraska bill, and the Madison Journal has copied an article against it.

The St. Louis Democrat says that the Democratic papers of that State are unanimous against the bill. The same paper has the following:

"We commend the following article from the Savannah Sentinel to the attention of those who would now revive the agitation of the slavery question by attempting to repeal the Missouri Compromise. And we would ask those who contain indecision on this question, do they not remember when he said that Compromise measures could be repealed? And was not that sentiment made after the Compromise of 1850?

"The Compromise of 1850 is said to be a failure. The platforms of 1852 are claimed to have settled the Slavery question. Any further agitation on that subject is expressly deprecated. Yet the very men who made the compromise and pledged to stand on the other, now are attempting most shamefully to violate both, by inaugurating the agitation of some Slavery question that breaks bill, and agitating the country anew!—They not only betray their want of faith, but they are covert enemies to Nebraska and the Union, and deserve the execration of every patriot in our land. Down with the agitators!"

Several of the members of Congress from Indiana are opposed to the repeal. Mr. Chamberlain, the member from the tenth District, Indiana, has published a letter in the Goshen (Ind.) Democrat, in which he distinctly announces his intention to vote against it. Mr. Harlan, of the eleventh District, has also written a letter to his constituents expressing his intention to vote against the bill, taken overrated by his constituents. Mr. Moss, of the eighth District, took an early and decided stand against it. A writer in one of the papers of his district (Gibson) says he is unanimously sustained by his constituents. Mr. Lane, of the eighth District, said when the bill was first introduced, that he was opposed to the bill. A significant fact for New Hampshire is, that Jno. Fowler, late law partner of President Pierce, is ready to stand on the same platform with John P. Hale and denounce the bill. Of the recent meeting at Hartford, Conn., the Times, (Old line Democrat) says:

"The freemen of Hartford poured into the City Hall last Friday evening, in immense numbers. The great Hall was crowded full, and the feeling in relation to the subject under consideration was intense, showing plainly the storm that is rising around the heads of those who would disturb the tranquility of the long settled state between the North and South, to settle peacably the disturbing question of slavery."

The following resolution was adopted and is significant enough:

Resolved, That the abrogation of the Compromise Act of 1820, and the bill introduced in the Senate of the U. S., will tend to the disruption of the Democratic party of 1852, relieve the party opposed from the obligation to uphold the act, and tending, any further, to disturb the peace of the country.

The vote on the Anti-Nebraska resolution in the Legislature of Maine was as follows: In the House, ayes 96, nays 5. In the Senate, ayes 26, nays 1.

A State convention convened was held at Burlington, Vermont, on Thursday of last week. It was very fully attended from all parts of the State, by earnest men of all parties.

In the legislature of Wisconsin, the strong opposition resolution passed by the following vote. Ayes 48, nays 19. Of those voting, ayes 24 are Democrats, 3 Independent Democrats and 22 Whigs.

March 6, General Case congratulated the country on the passage of the Nebraska Bill by the Senate and continued, "It will close the fountain of the bitter waters of agitation."

March 7th, he had the pleasure of reading the following telegraphic despatch from his home, Detroit, 8th, date delivered in Democracy:

"At an unofficial election yesterday, E. B. Ely, Whig, was elected Mayor, and the entire Whig ticket, excepting the Aldermen, was chosen by over one thousand majority. Democrats of the right wards are gone Whig."

On Wednesday evening last, a very large and highly enthusiastic meeting was held in New Haven, Conn. Men of all parties participated in it. Among the speakers were Professor Thatcher, of Yale College, and Rev. Dr. Taylor, Rev. Dr. Bacon and Professor Silliman. Dr. Bacon was the unofficial chief. Such a host of talent, and such a meeting, has not been seen in New Haven for a long time. It was decided to meet on Friday evening, when another meeting was held.

A great meeting was held at Derby, Conn., on the 6th inst. Hon. Henry Fox (Independent) was present and addressed the meeting.—The same day a large meeting of the same kind was held at Litchfield, Conn.

A large meeting of the citizens, without distinction of party, was held at Elmira, Chemung county, New York, on the 7th inst. The most and prominent politicians took part in it. Similar meetings have been held in Rochester, Geneva (Seward's native county), Hamilton, Erie, Onondaga, and other counties. The students of Hamilton College assembled in Public Hall, in Hamilton, on the 3d of March, and after a free discussion of the provisions of the Nebraska bill, passed the following with only one dissent:

Resolved, That it is the duty of every lover of freedom to raise his voice in solemn protest against such violations of the sacred rights, guaranteed by the Ordinance of 1787, the principle of right and justice, and that we will do our utmost to resist such iniquity by the powers so far as we shall severally be able.

Resolved, That we earnestly approve the course taken by our distinguished fellow-citizen, Wm. H. Seward, in relation to this subject, and that we fully indorse the sentiments of his speech.

In Ohio, meetings have been held in Ohio City, Troy, Solon, Hillsville, Cheltenell and other places. All spoke with the opposition to the repeal.

The following Massachusetts meetings have taken place since the passage of the bill:—We give the designations in full, except that from Dedham, which will be found above:

Taunt, March 7.—The Whigs have chosen their candidate for Mayor of this city by about eighty majority.

Worcester, March 8.—The Maine Group (Whig) is chosen Mayor, by some 700 or 800 majority. Most of the Whig aldermen are Whigs, and also six of the ten councilmen.

Lowell, March 7.—Under a call (Whig) for Mayor has been issued, by 50 gentlemen, of all Native American, Whig, and Democratic Mayor to day by 700 majority. The board of Aldermen are the same.

Cambridge, March 7.—Elizabeth Ely was the (white) was voted for as Mayor of this city. A full ticket of Whig and Native was chosen.

The Nilliard fire fire could not be here received.

Maine, New York, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Wisconsin, by independent Democratic meetings, have held a full and decided protest against the Democratic Congress of the late old party. Pen Kingdom, by the action of the Administration party in that State, which, in consequence of the decision from defeat, refuses to consider that the bill is not an issue in the canvass. As to the position of Vermont there could be no doubt, even if she had been half a State Convention, which she had not been half.

RESOLUTION OF CANAL BILL.

Whereas some the Commercial community very have had, heretofore, of complaining of the high rates of tolls on the Illinois and Michigan Canal, it no longer exists. The Trustees have become assured to the necessity of protecting the commerce of the canal from the inroads of the railways which run parallel with it on both sides, and have properly judged that the most healthy way of accomplishing so desirable an object is a large reduction of the rates of tolls. The schedule, given below, shows the rates of last year, and those adopted for the present, by which it will be seen that there has been an average reduction of full thirty five per cent. The toll has not been raised on a single article, while on many important ones the reduction is fifty per cent—of probably the result is not perfect by satisfactory, in all of its details, but it cannot fail to be so in the aggregate, and we are confident that the Trustees will find that it will prove in the highest degree salutary in not only maintaining the business and revenues of the canal, but in greatly increasing them. We now have the fullest confidence in the ability of the canal to maintain a successful competition with any other channel for transportation, connecting the city and the Illinois river.

The subjoined statement will show the rates of the last and present years:

1. Rates of Tolls on Boats.		
On each boat not exceeding 10 tons, for transportation	7c.	10c.
On each boat exceeding 10 tons,	10	15
On each boat exceeding 20 tons,	15	20
2. Rates of Tolls on Rafts.		
On each passenger raft, all kinds,	5	5
On each other raft,	3	4
3. Rates of Tolls on Merchandise.		
Manufactured articles of iron,	1	1
Manufactured articles of wood,	1	1
Manufactured articles of leather,	1	1
Manufactured articles of cotton,	1	1
Manufactured articles of wool,	1	1
Manufactured articles of hemp,	1	1
Manufactured articles of tobacco,	1	1
Manufactured articles of rubber,	1	1
Manufactured articles of glass,	1	1
Manufactured articles of stone,	1	1
Manufactured articles of paper,	1	1
Manufactured articles of tin,	1	1
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LOCAL MATTERS.

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRADE.

The Board of Trade met pursuant to call at their rooms on Dearborn street at 7½o'clock last evening—the President, Thomas Hale, Esq., in the Chair. After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, the Chairman of the Committee appointed to monitor on the subject of the Harbor submitted the following report:

The Committee appointed at your last meeting to examine the mouth of the Harbor and the channels into the Lake, beg leave to report:

That they have discharged the duty assigned them as far as time and facilities could permit.

That what is called the south channel running north and from the south pier, is about the same as last year; the shallest water is eleven feet. It is as broad and convenient as it has ever been, only that the outbow extremity of the bar outside extends three or four hundred feet further south than last year.

That the north channel, continuing out near the north pier, is good, and plenty of water, in about thirty feet east of the extreme end of the north pier, when it suddenly shoals to about 9 feet of water, which continues with slight variations about 100 feet easterly, where there is again plenty of water.

To make this a safe and available channel, it would need to be dredged away my 100 feet, and about 200 feet wide, to a depth of 12 feet, the extent of which the Committee have not been able to determine.

The Committee think that either should be driven or buoys placed at the south east of the north end of the bar, so as to guide vessels into the harbor.

The Committee would further state that as important, if not the most important, item of improvement now required, is a light house. The beacon light is of little consequence, lacking brightness and brilliancy, and the light house is shore is so low and so encumbered by buildings, the Lake House, the Marine Hospital, and other structures, that the view from the lake is almost entirely obscured. C. T. Ramsdell

On motion, the Report was accepted.

An explanation was then made by Mr. Dyer, in relation to his capacity of the new Government Dredge it, reserve the bar at the mouth of the river; but it was also stated that the dredge could not be employed at Government expense, till instructions can be procured from Washington for the appropriating of the public money for that purpose.

After considerable talk on the subject, Mr. Julius White offered a resolution, which was carried, that the Committee of the Board on Harbor Obstructions be instructed, in contract for the removing of the obstructions, unless the dredge can be put to work on the north side of new work.

Several Committees were then called on to report, but they desired further time to complete their labors, which was granted.

It having been stated that Mr. Thomas Dyer was soon to start for Washington, and also that Capt. J. D. Webster was now absent in that city, Mr. Thomas Richmond submitted a motion that those two gentlemen be desired to attend to the interests of the Harbor at Chicago, to secure the expenditure of appropriations of public money, or get the use of the Government dredge and snow-plow, or to use their efforts for the furtherance of the great object of improving and securing the entrance to this Harbor; and also to procure the building of a sufficient Light House; and that those gentlemen are respectfully requested to report to this Board the result of their efforts, and whether there is danger that the appropriation will, if its expenditure is delayed, revert to the General Treasury. The resolution was adopted.

M. H. H. Walker read an extract from a letter received from a firm in Detroit, in reference to the C. Chic Plain, as follows:

"We have that the dredge here is 60 feet, 11 feet deep, half a mile long, in three weeks, at expense of $12 per day. We have a statement from one who has sailed the Lakes eighteen years, and who says the proposed new channel was four feet deep when he first knew it, and that there were 9 feet of water last fall, and that from Lake Huron up to the Saginaw there are 18 feet of water, two and a half miles, and that it is not over half a mile wide, or 12 feet of water. The appropriation for the flats are all expended, but we can probably have the use of the dredge if we want it. All of the surveys have been completed, and the result is that this side of the Lake has never been surveyed. With this state of things, we can dredge the channel to answer every purpose sooner than we can send a Commission to Washington. There will be around of notice to dredge a channel 80 feet wide."

On motion of J. F. Chapin, Esq., the Chair was empowered to appoint a Committee to draw up a Memorial to Congress, on the subject of the Light House.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Chapin, Richmond and White as said Committee, who will meet at 9 o'clock the morning of the recess of the Board.

The meeting then adjourned.

THEATRE.—We regret to be compelled to announce the illness of Mr. Dollay, which prevented him from acting on last night.

Owing to this very unfortunate event, the bill for the evening had to be changed, and "Hamlet" was put up in place of "A New Way to pay Old Debts." Notwithstanding the short hours in which the Company had to prepare, the play went off remarkably well. We have before spoken of Mr. Conway's *Hamlet*. It is very good. Wright played the Ghost with his usual correctness, Mr. Rice the *King*, and Mr. McVicker doubled with the *Grave Digger* and *Polonius*. The other characters of the play were cast to perfection.

We believe that the tragedy of "King Lear" is up tonight evening. Two more nights will close the present engagement of Mr. Conway. It has been very brilliant and a very successful one.

We hope soon to have the pleasure of announcing the restoration of Mr. Dollay's health. We are gratified to learn that his illness is not at all dangerous.

MOB IN JAIL.—A Norwegian named Hans Jensen, one of the three who were arrested last Monday morning, for assisting in the murder of the old man at the forks of the river, the night previous, died in our County Jail yesterday from an attack of delirium tremens.

IN the Court of Common Pleas yesterday, Lewis Talcott and Gustavus Tom Dyer, was tried. This was an action brought in the seven fold, alleged damages to the amount of thousands, for malicious arrest, a very few days since, to the character of C. P. Williams, and arrested from that vessel to the dock, at the one hundred and ninety dollars being a heavy gale, and Fall. The jury returned a verdict of $150 for the plaintiff. By the affidavit, the jug has had much pipe and some other big bumper overboard.

FOR ST. LOUIS.—The Morning Herald leaves La Salle for St. Louis and intermediate ports, today, on arrival of cars.

CHICAGO CLOTHING FACTORY.—We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Messrs. Montgomery & Co. Mr. M. is a practical cutter of the highest order of talent, in his business, and has had an experience in Philadelphia, in the old country, which will enable him to give to the public the best assortment of perfect and durable ready made clothing we have ever seen.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.—To-day being the anniversary of Ireland's Patron Saint, there will be a solemn high mass at St. Mary's Cathedral at 10½ o'clock. The panegyric of the Saint will be pronounced by Rev. J. Fitzpatrick. The Hibernian Benevolent Society will hold their annual dinner at the Tremont Hall this evening, at 6 o'clock.

MESSRS. C. Gregg & Co. 111 Lake Street, have received the *London Quarterly Review* for January. The contents are as follows:

1. Life and Writings of Gray. Biographical Commemorative Anniversary. 2. The Monarchy of Prussia. 3. Gibbon's Religion of the Chinese Rebels. Cooper's Travels among the Slavonic Nations of Turkey and Russia.

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